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Veillon et al.

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For Patent Application Serial No. 10/092,738

Baxter Docket No. CLS-5794

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Veillon, et. al.
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Amendment Transmittal (in duplicate)
Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37CFR1.136(a)) (in duplicate)
Amendment (including Claims & Remarks/Arguments

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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## IN THE UNI J STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK FICE

In re Application of: Veillon et. al. Group Art Unit: 3763 Serial No .: 10/092,738 Examiner: Rodriguez March 7, 2002 Filed: I hereby certify that this paper is LUER TIP CAP HAVING For: being deposited with the United States **REDUCED REMOVAL** Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: **FORCE** The Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VAZZIAR, on this date.

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#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Hon. Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

(x) No additional fee is required.

### Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

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Total Claims	24	-	<u>34</u>	<u>o</u>	x \$	18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	4	-	<u>.6</u>	<u>o</u>	x \$	86 =	\$0
Fee for Multiple	Claims						\$0
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- ( x ) Charge \$ <u>0</u> to Deposit Account No. <u>02-1440</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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